SAINT ROBERT'S CHURCH



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MASS TIMES

Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (Saturday)

Sundays: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am and 5:00 pm

Holy Days: Please consult weekly bulletin.

Weekdays: Masses are on Monday, Tuesday and Friday at 6:30 a.m. and Monday through Saturday at 8:30 a.m. *Communion Services* are held Wednesday

and Thursday at 6:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

There is a period of preparation for the celebration of this Sacrament. Parents are required to attend a Pre-Baptismal class. Please contact the rectory in advance.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday: 3:30 pm to 4:15 pm or call 589-2800 to make an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

There is a six month period of preparation for the celebration of this Sacrament. Please contact the rectory to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the rectory in case of serious illness and before surgery and hospital care.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

High school students call the Religious Education Office.

Adult confirmation is available on an individual basis. Please contact the rectory to make arrangements.

Schedules for Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors & Altar Servers are also available on the web at www.saintroberts.org.

Dear Friends,

I sit here in Gene's big, blue chair, sipping Ginger-Snap tea, while I study the readings for today. I ask Gene to please help me find what it is that God is saying to us.

We both like the story of young Samuel. He was called early in his life to have a special relationship with God. It isn't just a few chosen ones with whom God wants a personal relationship - He wants this relationship with you and with me. Samuel was sleeping when he heard his name called. In order to hear God speak to us, we must be still. We need to clear our minds and take the time to listen as did Samuel. "Samuel grew up, and the Lord was with him."

In the second reading, Paul tells us that our "bodies are members of Christ...whoever is joined to the Lord becomes one Spirit with Him...your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God." God, Our Father, created each of us for this singular purpose --- to know Him; to love him and to serve him here on earth and then to be happy with him forever in Heaven. We, like Samuel, are growing up spiritually and the Lord is with us.

In today's Gospel according to John, we watch John the Baptist point Jesus out to two of his disciples. One of them is Andrew, who looks for his brother Simon and tells him that he has found the Messiah - the Christ. Andrew then brings Simon to Jesus and their journey together begins. Our journey with Jesus can begin this day when we listen to Jesus call our name and respond to Him with these words: "Here am I, Lord: I come to do Your will."

Anna May

PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED

MONDAY, JANUARY 16TH, IN OBSERVANCE OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.'S BIRTHDAY

THE WEEK AHEAD



<u>Monday-January 16th</u> Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday

8:30 Mass Intention

Joseph P. Murphy †

Tuesday-January 17th

6:30 Johny Young † Mass Intention

8:30 Betty Drews †

9:00am Mary's Chapel Adult Rel Ed School of Religion 3:30pm Hall & Church Confirmation/Yr 1 7:00pm Hall Legion of Marv 6:30pm Library

Wednesday-January 18th

8:30 Manuel (Willie) Tanti † Mass Intention

Thursday-January 19th

8:30 Edmond Heaphy † Mass Intention School Board Mtg 7:00pm Mahoney Room

Friday-January 20th

6:30 Elsa Quigley † Mass Intention

8:30 Gene Bianchi †

Men's Club Crab

Dinner Set Up 4:30pm Hall

Saturday-January 21st

8:30 Maria Guiseppa Mass Intention

Aloise †

Sharon Wright † 4:30

AA Meeting 10:00am Mahoney Rm **Grief Consolation** 3:00pm Convent

Men's Club

Crab Dinner 6:00pm Hall

Sunday-January 22nd

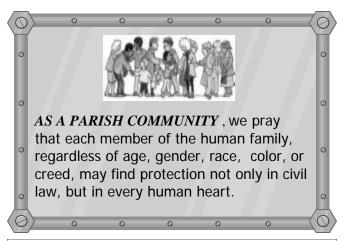
Mass Intention 7:30 People of St. Robert's

> Oscar Moniri † 9:30 11:30 Manuel Falzon †

5:00 Al Cinti †

THANK YOU FROM THE HOMEBOUND

Homebound members of our parish family want to say "Thank You" to everyone who gave them Christmas presents and to those who wrapped them so beautifully. You brought much joy and lots of smiles to so very many people.





Our sincere sympathy to the families of Nella Tinnarello, Mariann Pera & Margie Owen who died recently.





WE CONGRATULATE THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

Kaitlyn Adele Cordy Logan Vaccari Penzel

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

John & Roxana Zorrilla & Family John & Christina Kovach & Family Kenneth Canedo & Family Raymond & Maureen McKeon

IF YOU ARE NEW TO ST. ROBERT'S

Fill out a registration form and drop it either in the collection basket, the mail, or at the parish office. We will send you a New Parishioner Packet with information about the parish, its organizations and groups. If you chose, you can register online at: www.saintroberts.org.

STEWARDSHIP

264,708.00 252,061.54
9,804.00
7,797.26

Sign up for E-Contributions

Go to www.saintroberts.org and click on the e-contributions button.

There is no cost to you for this service.

KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS ~ 2012-2013

Information and applications Kindergarten will be available on line at www.saintroberts.org. Please personally bring completed Kindergarten applications for the 2012-2013 school year to the school office no later than February 6th 8:30a.m. - 2:30p.m. Your child must be 5 years of age by September 1, 2012. Please be sure to include with your child's application a copy of their birth and baptismal certificates, social security card, a family picture, and the application fee

OPEN HOUSE

St. Robert School will hold its annual Open House on Thursday evening, February 2nd from 7:00–8:00 p.m.

NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY

St. Robert School, mindful of its mission to be witness to the love of Christ for all, admits students of any race, color and national and/or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at this school. St. Robert School does not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color and national and/or ethnic origin in administration of education policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, athletic and other school administered programs.

Help Stop the Separation of Families!

Join Archbishop George Niederauer, Bishop Justice, other Bishops and parishes from across the state on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at St. Mary's Cathedral from 2-4pm, as we call on Gov. Brown to stop the separation of immigrant families. This is an important social justice issue which impacts families from all our parishes including Saint Roberts. If you would like more information or help with transportation please contact Veronica Ramirez at 415-614-5570 or ramirezv@sfarchdiocese.org

When Someone Is Ill

If you're aware of a parishioner who is homebound, in the hospital or in rehab, please be sure to let Sr. Patricia know. She can be reached at posullivan3@juno.com or at 589-0104. She'd rather hear twice than not at all. Thank you.

MINISTER SCHEDULE/Jan 21 & 22

Saturday/4:30 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Obet

Eucharistic Ministers: R. Hanley (C)

D. Hageman, T. Dachauer, K. Martinez, M. Murphy

Lectors: M. Dachauer and C. Aveson **Altar Servers:** C. Peterson and C. Daniele

Sunday/7:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike

Eucharistic Ministers: M. Nunnery (C)E. Ruggiero, J. Aldinger, A. Buelow, T. Montross

Lectors: T. Clifford and L. Clifford

Altar Servers: S. O'Halloran and M. Redmond

Sunday/9:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Obet

Eucharistic Ministers: T. Casey (C) M. Wright, M. Bourne, J. Ajam, A. Brugnaro

Lectors: Student Lectors

Altar Servers: K. Uniacke, D. Arsenault &

N. Dababneh

Children's Liturgy: Terry and Bob & Karen

Sunday/11:30 A.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Mike

Eucharistic Ministers: M. Giusti (C) S. Menendez, L. Sing, D. Soetanto, J. Yee Lector: G. Peralez and C. Pisani Altar Servers: J. Cascino and J. Reid

Sunday/5:00 P.M. Mass

Presider: Fr. Obet

Eucharistic Ministers: M. Dowden (C) T. Estelita, U. Uniacke, D. Torres, K. Welch

Lectors: H. Lowood

Altar Servers: E. Estelita and N. Estelita

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday-January 16th

Readings: 1 SM 15:16-23 Mk 2:18-22 Tuesday-January 17th

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Readings: 1 Sm 16:1-13 Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday-January 18th

Readings: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51 Mk 3:1-6

Thursday-January 19th

Readings: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7 Mk 3:7-12

Friday-January 20th

Readings: 1 Sm 24:3-21 Mk 3:13-19

Saturday-January 21st

Readings: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27 Mk 3:20-21

Sunday-January 22nd

Readings: Jon 3:1-5, 10 1 Cor 7:29-31 Mk 1:14-20

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS







On January 21st and 22nd ballots with 8 names of our parishioners will be passed out for you to vote for the Parish Council. Please take a moment to review the candidate's information which is posted in the vestibule after Mass.



Please join us this year at our Annual Dinner Dance on Saturday, March 24th at the South San Francisco Convention Center Tickets on sale at Women's Guild on Monday January 23rd 6:30 pm.

Adults- \$75.00 Senior's- \$65.00

WALK FOR LIFE



There is still time to get a seat on the bus leaving St. Bruno's Church on Saturday, January 21 for the 8th Annual Walk for Life. Complete details are available at the vestibule of the church or phone Mary Nunnery at (650) 588-6349.

St.Robert's Men's Club

CRAB DINNER

ALL ARE WELCOME

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2012 DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 P.M.

\$90 PER COUPLE / \$50 FOR SINGLE

INCLUDES: DINNER, 5 DRINK TICKETS & 10 RAFFLE TICKETS

EXTRA DRINK/RAFFLE TICKETS \$1 EACH

RSVP

BY JANUARY 16TH

Dan Uroz 650.740.4141

EMAIL: DANNYUROZ@GMAIL.COM

Happy New Year SRWG MEMBERS" "Game Night"

The St. Robert's Women's Guild will be hosting its' first meeting and dinner of the New Year!!! It's game night, so bring your favorite games (cards, dice, yahtzee, taboo, etc...). You can play a couple of games or just sit back and chat with your friends, either way; we would love to see you!



We also want to remind you that we will be voting for "Woman of the Year" at this meeting. Each year, Women's Guild chooses a woman in our parish that demonstrates a willingness and devotion to go above and beyond the hours of service within our school, parish and/or community, so please come and vote.

****Yeah! Come and be one of the first to purchase your Dinner Dance tickets. They will go on sale at the start of the meeting.****

Monday, January 23rd at 6:30 p.m. (Hennessy Hall) Dinner \$12.00 (Open Bar) Does not include raffle tickets RSVP to: srwomensguild@yahoo.com

Nominations for Woman of the Year 2012

Each year, Women's Guild chooses a woman in our parish that demonstrates a willingness and devotion to go above and beyond the hours of service within the school, parish and/or community, so please let us know whom you would like to see as this years "Woman of the Year".
Name:
Reason Why:
Very Important, we need your nominations by Friday, January 20 th .

Please fill this form out and email to Lori: partyof5klinglers@yahoo.com or you can print it out

and send it through school: Lori Klingler/ Haylee Klingler 4th grade.